Go Team Meeting May 8, 2025

Action Items

a. **SEL Activity**-The SEL activity, "Which do you prefer...coffee or Coke", was led by Mrs.Epps-Primas. There were a variety of joyful and engaging responses. 2

b. Approval of Agenda-The agenda was approved by Dr. Smart and the motion was seconded by Ms. Dixon.All were in favor.
c. Approval of Previous Minutes-Information was read by Mr.Daniels, review of the previous minutes, the final budget,

discussion items and the uniform policy. The discussion items were the final budget recommendation and discussion. Next, the Information Items as followed were discussed: Principal's Report, Committee Report, and CAT Meeting Report Out. Finally, the discussion of the Basketball Championship. The motion to approve the previous meeting was given by Ms. Heard and seconded by Mrs. Epps-Primas.

d. School Uniform- The discussion included information regarding the uniform staying the same with flexibility being given in the area of the ability to wear the standard B.E.S.T. standard uniform for each grade, B.E.S.T. hoodies, and/or any type of B.E.S.T. merchandise. An objection to the matter of data collect , the standard uniform being an alternative, and the amount of individuals partaking in the survey were concerning to Mr. Davis. An objection to the current design and lack of variety in clothing for sale was expressed by Ms. Little. A discussion was held and Mrs. Epps-Primas asked questions for clarity, both she and Mr. Daniels suggested that there may be an opportunity for her Ms. Light's son to assist in the next set of designs with the head designer.

Also, Mr. Singer expressed an objection to the legacy of the design/logo being changed. He is in favor of students having the choice to layer their uniform attire. However, Mr. Davis was adamantly opposed to the idea of layering the uniforms. Mr.Daniels continued to share the information on the graphs and answer questions and/or comments. In addition, Prin. Williams gave clarification regarding the existing uniform policy standing. Support for the uniform policy and enforcement of the policy was demonstrated as a concern via the data. The goal is to incentivize wearing the policy. The motion to vote to keep the current the uniform the same and increase the ability to wear spiritwear was initially motioned by Ms. Heard and seconded by Mr. Singer. Mr Davis presented a motion to keep the uniform and table the spirit wear. Ms. Light shared points regarding the point of view that they could wear spirit wear and adding another survey regarding what the students would like to wear and adding additional pieces. Mrs. Dixon wanted clarity on the days that they can wear the spirit wear. Discussion was held by several members regarding the layering of the uniform and spirit wear. Motion to vote was placed to keep the policy the same and including spirit wear by Mr. Daniel and motioned by Ms. Heard and seconded by Mr. Singer. The motion was approved and one objection is hereby noted (Mr. Davis).

e.**Principal's update-**Looked at how to improve as a school. Maceo Padgett-won IT award Jaylen Kinsey-Boosting attendance Jayden Wilson-won MacBeth award

Produce project updates

F. Upcoming announcements-Vision of the future Salutatorian celebration-Marcus Daniels End of school year at the end of May G. Minecraft team won, Markell Copeland and Curtis Martin with serve on the Student Advisory Council. Marcus Daniel and Wesley Guillard served this year and shared recommendations to the Superintendent and Administration. Markell Copeland will serve on democratic council. Mrs.Epps-Primas shared that the Morehouse Trio and UpwardBound team won in the championship and were able to compete in the Scholar Bowl. Senior luncheon and several students to a national convention in Louisiana. Gratitude expressed for the parents showing appreciation to the teachers. Appreciation shown to Mrs. Dixon and appreciation to Principal Williams. Principal Williams and Mr. Davis shared the essence of the purpose of Vision of the Future. The meeting was adjourned.